

## **Appendix B**

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The tables in this section were generated by the Minnesota Geospatial Information Office (MnGeo) using publicly available data available on the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Data Deli (<http://deli.dnr.state.mn.us/>) and provided by the DNR. Also included are maps and data provided by DNR and the Minnesota Department of Health. The tables indicate the potential affects of each system alternative (in the two-mile corridor) on resources in Minnesota. As with other tables in this document, these data provide a broad overview of potential affects.

<b>Total Acres/System Alternative</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Acres</b>
SA-Applicant	382,670
SA-03	476,346
SA-04	318,078
SA-05	164,052
SA-06	505,087
SA-07	555,838
SA-08	340,055

<b>Ground Water Susceptibility</b>							
(See Ground Water Contamination Susceptibility In Minnesota Map on page B-11 in this Appendix)							
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>0 - Insufficient Data to Rank</b>	<b>1 - Highest</b>	<b>2 - High</b>	<b>3 - Medium</b>	<b>4 - Low</b>	<b>5 - Lowest</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
SA-Applicant	5,907	71,163	70,889	126,920	97,573	10,110	382,562
SA-03	7,976	95,011	79,659	201,816	87,044	4,732	476,238
SA-04	2,291	5,802	22,813	111,181	152,508	23,331	317,925
SA-05	2,417	1,500	5,941	118,787	35,350		163,994
SA-06	10,634	72,527	72,319	197,647	138,480	13,596	505,204
SA-07	18,972	70,126	92,301	268,582	101,370	4,605	555,957
SA-08	12,650	69,895	60,868	133,967	57,269	5,561	340,211

<b>Karst Features</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Count</b>
SA-03	7
SA-06	61
SA-07	61
SA-08	7

<b>Minnesota Sites of Biological Diversity (MBS)</b>					
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Below</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Outstanding</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
SA-Applicant	7,291	6,883	52,117	2,459	68,750
SA-03	13,891	5,828	26,320	1,914	47,954
SA-04	2,099	1,277	1,724	1,112	6,211
SA-05	5,759	368	2,405		8,531
SA-06	5,273	1,598	18,052	94	25,016
SA-07	5,978	2,086	19,592	3,690	31,347
SA-08	4,315	1,824	3,258	1,969	11,366

<b>Native Prairie</b>				
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Complex community</b>	<b>Upland Prairie System</b>	<b>Wetland Prairie System</b>	<b>Total</b>
SA-Applicant	440	118	213	772
SA-03	279	882	973	2,135
SA-04	177	651	35	863
SA-05	223	914		1,137
SA-06		428	123	551
SA-07	92	1,684	1,637	3,414
SA-08	165	117	34	317

<b>Calcareous Fens</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Total</b>
SA-Applicant	1
SA-03	2
SA-04	1
SA-05	1
SA-06	1
SA-07	11

<b>Old Growth Forest</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Acres</b>
SA-Applicant	191
SA-06	153
SA-07	153

<b>School Trust Land</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Acres</b>
SA-Applicant	7,880
SA-03	2,004
SA-06	997
SA-07	1,022
SA-08	9

<b>State Trails</b>		
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Miles</b>
SA-Applicant	8	15
SA-03	11	33
SA-04	10	8
SA-06	16	29
SA-07	15	28
SA-08	7	8

<b>Mineral Leases</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Number of Leases</b>
SA-Applicant	72
SA-03	110
SA-04	20
SA-05	28
SA-06	98
SA-07	139
SA-08	141

<b>Mines and Minerals</b>				
	<b>Mine by Type</b>			
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Industrial Silica Sand</b>	<b>Limestone</b>	<b>Reed-Sedge</b>	<b>Total</b>
SA-Applicant			1	1
SA-04		2		2
SA-06	1			1
SA-07	1			1

<b>National Wetlands Inventory (NWI)</b>							
	<b>Wetland type</b>						
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Total</b>
SA-Applicant	8,073	506	8,370	31,869	11,626	16,152	76,597
SA-03	16,740	616	9,961	24,004	9,992	6,228	67,541
SA-04	5,103	109	505	285	599		6,602
SA-05	4,066	190	2,208	47	170		6,681
SA-06	18,376	565	14,145	11,355	7,456	4,293	56,190
SA-07	25,699	1,185	22,261	12,158	7,851	4,293	73,446
SA-08	21,767	1,023	13,331	2,513	2,278	36	40,946

<b>Water Basins (acres)</b>			
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Public Water Basin</b>	<b>Public Water Wetland</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
SA-Applicant	10,220	2,372	12,592
SA-03	10,047	2,792	12,838
SA-04	2,000	461	2,461
SA-05	3,415	419	3,834
SA-06	16,738	4,633	21,371
SA-07	24,823	6,815	31,637
SA-08	14,921	5,491	20,412

<b>Water Courses (Rivers and Streams) or Public Waters</b>		
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Miles</b>
SA-Applicant	112	240
SA-03	197	407
SA-04	96	204
SA-05	54	124
SA-06	200	355
SA-07	210	352
SA-08	129	243

<b>Trout Streams</b>		
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Miles</b>
SA-Applicant	46	32
SA-03	54	42
SA-04	4	4
SA-05	8	8
SA-06	43	30
SA-07	46	34
SA-08	3	6

<b>Wild Rice Lakes</b>		
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Acres</b>
SA-Applicant	29	3,621
SA-03	11	1,182
SA-06	7	1,867
SA-07	7	1,867
SA-08	8	916

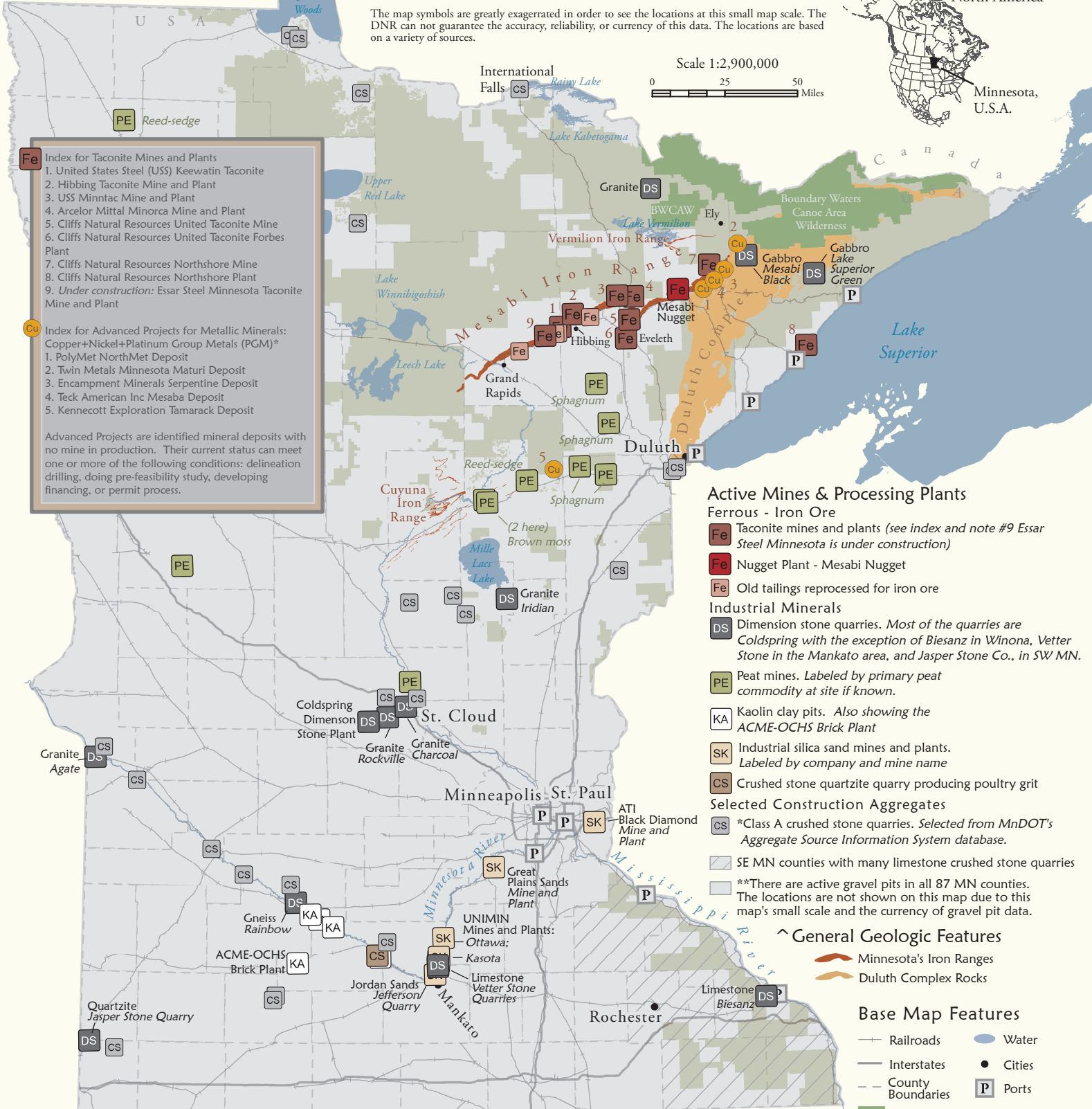
<b>Wild and Scenic Rivers</b>	
<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Acres</b>
SA-03	6,813
SA-06	1,595
SA-07	1,595
SA-08	5,556



# MINNESOTA MINERALS

## Active Mines & Advanced Projects of Iron Ore, Metallic Minerals, Industrial Minerals, and Selected Construction Aggregates- January 2014

The map symbols are greatly exaggerated in order to see the locations at this small map scale. The DNR can not guarantee the accuracy, reliability, or currency of this data. The locations are based on a variety of sources.



**Fe** Index for Taconite Mines and Plants

1. United States Steel (USS) Keewatin Taconite
2. Hibbing Taconite Mine and Plant
3. USS Minntac Mine and Plant
4. Arcelor Mittal Minnora Mine and Plant
5. Cliffs Natural Resources United Taconite Mine
6. Cliffs Natural Resources United Taconite Forbes Plant
7. Cliffs Natural Resources Northshore Mine
8. Cliffs Natural Resources Northshore Plant
9. Under construction: Essar Steel Minnesota Taconite Mine and Plant

**Cu** Index for Advanced Projects for Metallic Minerals: Copper+Nickel+Platinum Group Metals (PGM)\*

1. Poly/Met NorthMet Deposit
2. Twin Metals Minnesota Maturi Deposit
3. Encampment Minerals Serpentine Deposit
4. Teck American Inc Mesaba Deposit
5. Kennecott Exploration Tamarack Deposit

Advanced Projects are identified mineral deposits with no mine in production. Their current status can meet one or more of the following conditions: delineation drilling, doing pre-feasibility study, developing financing, or permit process.

### Active Mines & Processing Plants

**Ferrous - Iron Ore**

- Fe** Taconite mines and plants (see index and note #9 Essar Steel Minnesota is under construction)
- Fe** Nugget Plant - Mesabi Nugget
- Fe** Old tailings reprocessed for iron ore

**Industrial Minerals**

- DS** Dimension stone quarries. Most of the quarries are Coldspring with the exception of Biesanz in Winona, Vetter Stone in the Mankato area, and Jasper Stone Co., in SW MN.
- PE** Peat mines. Labeled by primary peat commodity at site if known.
- KA** Kaolin clay pits. Also showing the ACME-OCHS Brick Plant
- SK** Industrial silica sand mines and plants. Labeled by company and mine name
- CS** Crushed stone quartzite quarry producing poultry grit

**Selected Construction Aggregates**

- CS** \*Class A crushed stone quarries. Selected from MnDOT's Aggregate Source Information System database.
- SE MN counties with many limestone crushed stone quarries
- \*\*There are active gravel pits in all 87 MN counties. The locations are not shown on this map due to this map's small scale and the currency of gravel pit data.

**General Geologic Features**

- Minnesota's Iron Ranges
- Duluth Complex Rocks

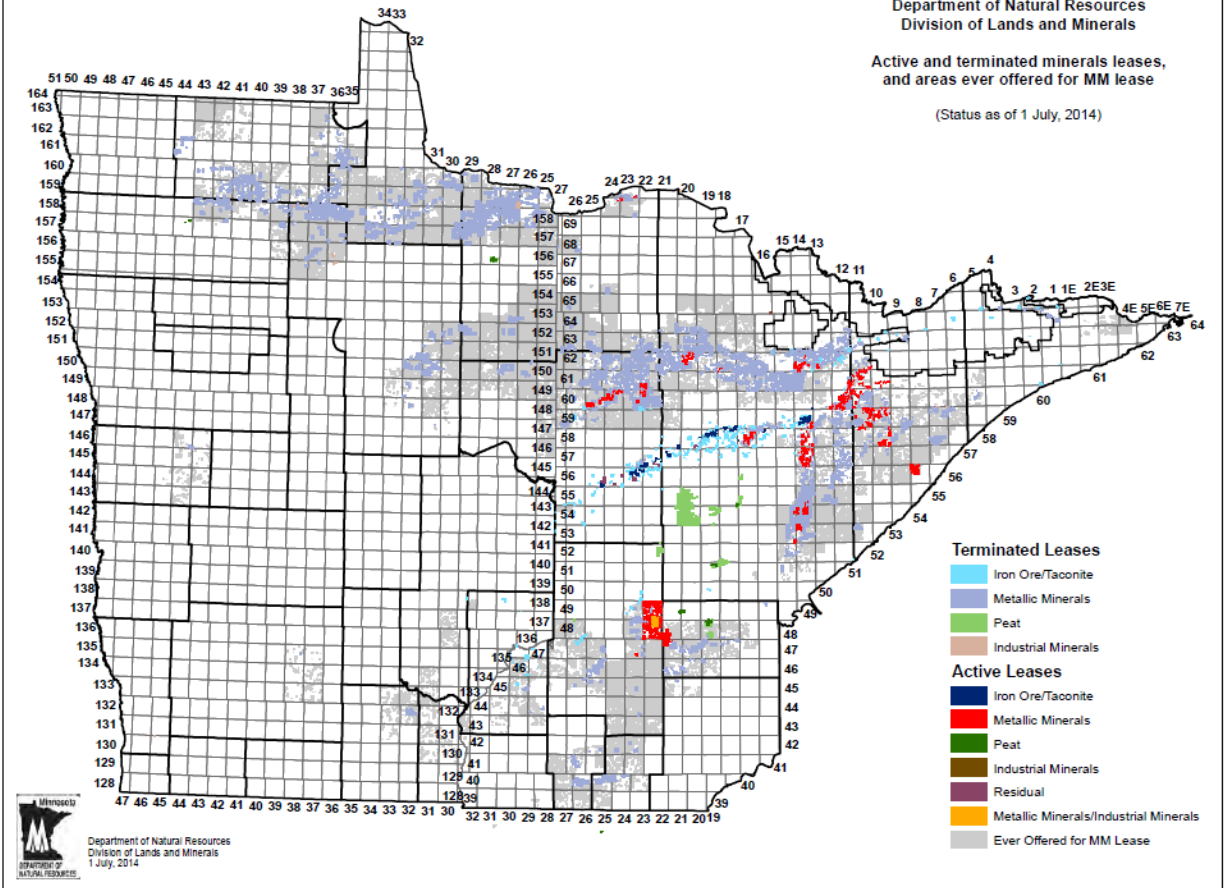
**Base Map Features**

- Railroads
- Interstates
- County Boundaries
- BWCAW
- National & State Forests
- Water
- Cities
- Ports

\*According to the Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) Class A quarries consist of basalt, diabase, gabbro, quartzite, or granite.\*\*For more information about aggregate resources visit the DNR's aggregate resource mapping webpage or MnDOT's ASIS database webpage. ^Geologic features sourced from Minnesota Geological Survey's State Map Series S-21, 2011.

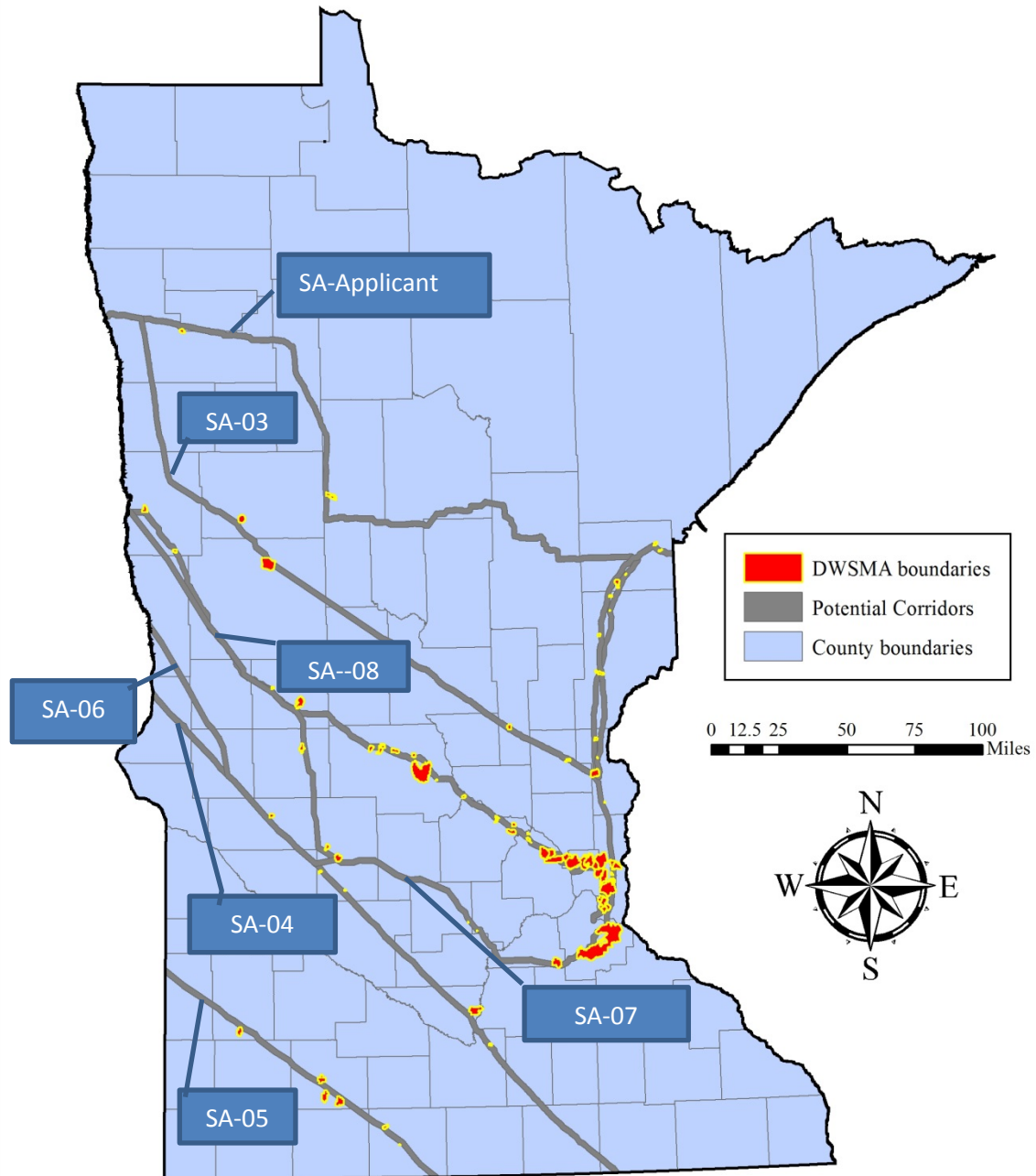


State of Minnesota  
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 Active and terminated minerals leases,  
 and areas ever offered for MM lease  
 (Status as of 1 July, 2014)



# Proposed Sandpiper Pipeline Routing Options and Drinking Water Supply Management Areas

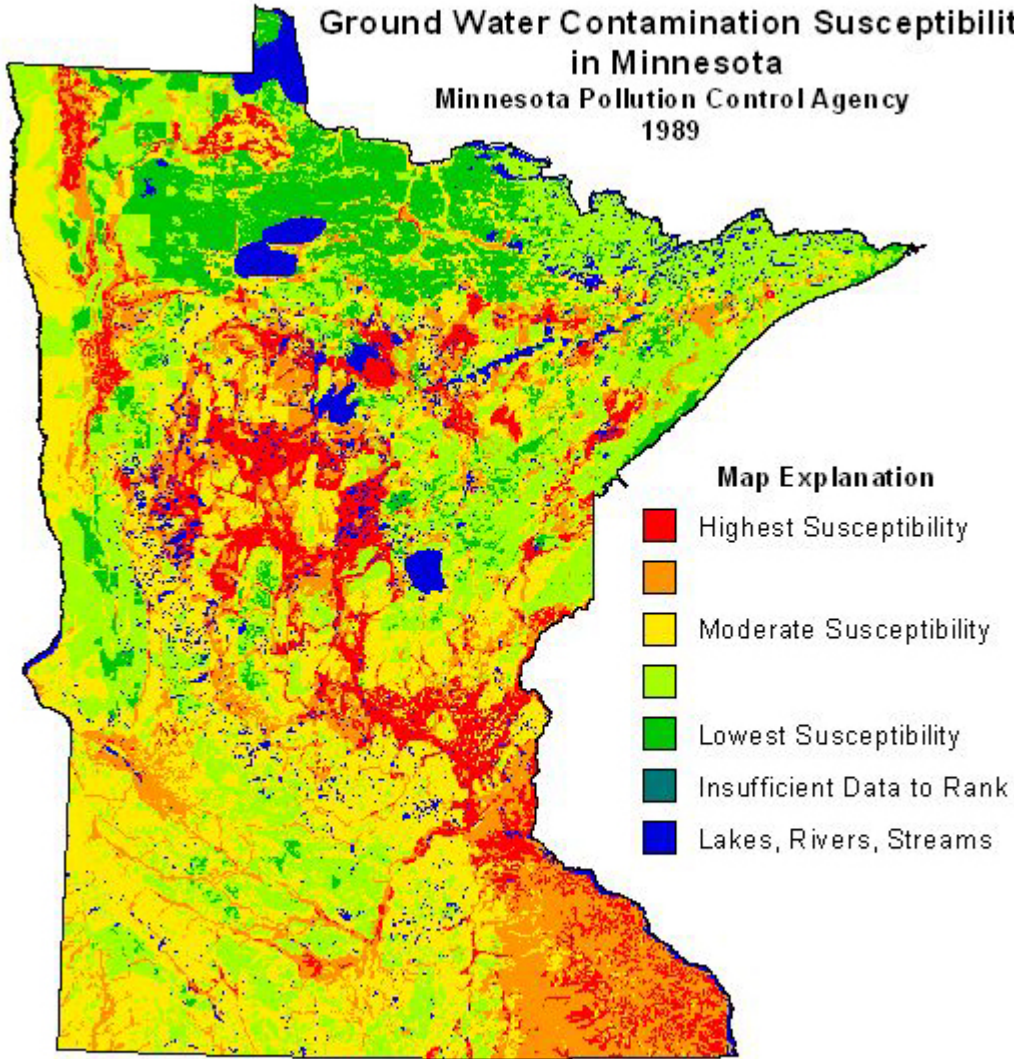
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Seven potential routes are shown, including a two-mile wide corridor. DWSMAs are drinking water supply management areas. Only DWSMAs that are partly or entirely within the corridors are shown (88 DWSMAs).

<b>System Alternative</b>	<b>Drinking Water Supply Management Areas (See Corresponding Map)</b>
SA-Applicant	Crookston East, Sundsrud Court, Park Rapids, Carlton, Wrenshall
SA-03	Detroit Lakes, Perham, Milaca, Cambridge NE, Cambridge 4, Cambridge 1, North Branch, Harris, Hinckley, Finlayson, Sturgeon Lake, Moose Lake, Carlton, Wrenshall
SA-04	Benson, Raymond 5, Blomkest, St. Peter, Eagle Lake
SA-05	Balaton, Jeffers-Red Rock Rural Water-Augusta Lake, Red Rock Rural Water-Great Bend, Windom, Trimont, Welcome
SA-06	Benson, Raymond 5, Willmar SW, Plato, Hamburg, Elko-New Market, Hastings, Farmington SE, Cottage Grove 10, Cottage Grove Central, Woodbury Central, Oak-Land Junior High, Stillwater, Lake Elmo 1, Lake Elmo 2, Oak Park Heights, Cimarron Park, Chisago City West, North Branch, Harris, Rush City, Hinckley, Willow River, Minnesota Correctional Facility--Moose Lake, Moose Lake, Barnum, Carlton, Wrenshall
SA-07	Alexandria, Glenwood, Pine Hill MHP, Pennock, Willmar SW, Plato, Hamburg, Elko-New Market, Hastings, Farmington SE, Cottage Grove 10, Cottage Grove Central, Woodbury Central, Oak-Land Junior High, Stillwater, Lake Elmo 1, Lake Elmo 2, Oak Park Heights, Cimarron Park, Chisago City West, North Branch, Harris, Rush City, Hinckley, Willow River, Minnesota Correctional Facility--Moose Lake, Moose Lake, Barnum, Carlton, Wrenshall
SA-08	Moorhead-Buffalo Aquifer South, Barnesville, Brandon, Alexandria, Melrose, New Munich, Freeport, Albany, Avon, St. Joseph, Rockville NE, Clearwater, Otsego West, Joint Power Board System, Rogers North, Rogers South, Maple Grove, Brooklyn Park Central, Brooklyn Center, Brooklyn Park 12, Fridley, New Brighton, St. Anthony Village, St. Paul, Vadnais Heights, Mahtomedi, Oakdale North, North St. Paul, White Bear Lake, Oakdale South, Woodbury 1, Woodbury Central, Cottage Grove 10, Newport, Cottage Grove 1, Cottage Grove 2, St. Paul Park

**Ground Water Contamination Susceptibility  
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